(SRI B. R. SUNTHANKAR)

(e) the steps they propose to take to prevent recurrence of such diseases in future ?

A.—Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(a) Yes.

(b) The mortality estimated is about 127 cattle and 508 buffaloes, the estimated cost of which may be about Rs. 30,000.

(c) Organising a campaign of preventive inoculation of cattle and buffaloes with Anthrax Vaccine and treating the ailing cases with pencillin and drawing large number of extra staff from the neighbouring Districts as well as from Bangalore City, under the direct control of the Deputy Director and Disease Investigation Officer to combat the disease.

(d) No; but in the initial stage there was some delay in biologicals despatched by Railway Parcel reaching the destination. Care has been taken to avoid such recurrence.

(e) It is not possible to prevent recurrence as immunity against Anthrax does not last long but necessary arrangements will be made to attend to such outbreaks promptly.

Creation of separate Malnad Development Department in the State.

Q.—1007. Sri Y. MANJAYA SHETTY (Baindur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) whether it is a fact that a separate Department for Malnad Development has ben created recently ;

(b) if so, the functions of Department ;

(c) whether any special allotment of funds is made for the said Department ?

A.—Sri RAMAKRISHNA HEGDE (Deputy Minister for Planning and Development).—

(a) No.

(b) and c) Does not arise in view of the answer to (a).

Construction of Building for Veterinary Hospital, Sivarapatna, Malur Taluk.

Q.—1063. Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY (Malur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(a) when the present Veterinary Hospital was started at Sivarapatna in Malur Taluk ;

(b) whether a representation has been made for the construction of a hospital building for the purpose of running the hospital ;

(c) the action taken by the Government on the representation for the purpose of constructing the Veterinary Hospital building ?

A.—Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(a) 27th June 1949.

(b) Yes.

(c) The beneficiaries are being asked to raise contributions and complete the Type Design building partly built as early as possible.

Business of the House.

*Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH (Minister for Public Works).—Sir, under Rule 23G of the Rules of Procedure I have been authorised by the Leader of the House to make a request for variation of the allocation of time order. According to the Second Report of the Business Advisory Committee the two University (Amendment) Bills have been put down for today. I suggest that these two Bills may be taken up on the 5th October. The non-official resolutions put down for the 5th October may be taken up on the 30th September. The Court Fees and Suits Valuation Bill put down for the 30th September is not likely to be ready during this Session. I request you to kindly obtain the consent of the House for this variation.

MR. SPEAKER.—The suggestion made by the Hon'ble Minister is that the two University (Amendment) Bills may be taken up on the 5th October and that the non-official resolutions put